

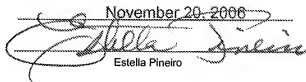
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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<b>For:</b>	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING PREVENTIVE OVERDRIVE PACING AND ANTITACHYCARDIA PACING USING AN IMPLANTABLE CARDIAC STIMULATION DEVICE		

**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 15, 2006, for which a one-month extension of time is herein requested, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: